

Docket No. : RW-187PCT  
 U.S. Application No. : 10/586,096  
 International Application No.: PCT/EP04/000307  
 International Filing Date : January 16, 2004  
 Priority Date Claimed :  
 Title of Invention : DEVICE FOR CLEANING THE OUTER HULL SIDE OF  
                           A BOAT  
 Applicant(s) for (DO/EO/US) : Nicolette Marr

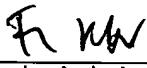
Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

1.  This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2.  This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3.  This express request to begin national examination procedures 35 U.S.C. 371 (f) at any time rather than delay examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set forth in 35 U.S.C 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and 39(1).
4.  A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest claimed priority date.
5.  A copy of the International Application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)],  
 a)  is transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).  
 b)  has been transmitted by the International Bureau.  
 c)  is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6.  English translations of the International Application [35 U.S.C.371(c)(2)] and the International Application with amended pages incorporated therein.
7.  Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C.371(c)(3)].  
 a)  are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).  
 b)  have been transmitted by the International Bureau.  
 c)  have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.  
 d)  have not been made and will not be made.
8.  A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C.371(c)(3)].
9.  An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) [35 U.S.C.371(c)(4)].
10.  An English translation of the International Preliminary Examination Report.

**Items 11. to 16. below concern other document(s) or information included:**

11.  An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 and 198.
12.  An Assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.
13.  A FIRST preliminary amendment.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.
14.  A substitute specification.
15.  A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
16.  (other items or information) Six replacement sheets of drawings, PTO-1449 w/10 references and International Search Report

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on May 21, 2008.

  
 Friedrich Kueffner

May 21, 2008  
 Date

17.  The following fees are submitted:

**BASIC NATIONAL FEE [37 CFR 1.492(a)(1)-(5)]:**

- Basic national fee (37 CFR 1.492(a)).....\$  
 Examination fee (37 CFR 1.492(c)).....\$  
 Search fee (37 CFR 1.492(b)).....\$  
 Search fee (37 CFR 1.445(a)(2)) has been paid on the international application to the USPTO as an International Searching Authority.....\$  
 International Search Report prepared by an ISA other than the US and provided to the Office or previously communicated to the US by the IB .....\$

**ENTER APPROPRIATE BASIC FEE AMOUNT:\$**

Surcharge of \$ 130.00 for furnishing the oath or declaration later than  20 X 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date [37 CFR 1.492(e)].....\$ 130.00

Claims	filed	Extra	Rate
Total Claims	-20=	x \$ 50.=	\$
Indep. Claims	- 3=	x \$210.=	\$
( )Multiple Dependent Claim Presented?		x \$370.=	\$

**TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS:\$ 130.00**

Small Entity Status is being claimed ..... (divided by 2)\$ 65.00

Processing fee of \$ 130.00 for furnishing the English Translation later than  20 X 30 months from the earliest claimed priority date [37 CFR 1.492(f)].....\$ 130.00

**TOTAL NATIONAL FEE: \$ 195.00**

Fee for recording the enclosed assignment [37 CFR 1.21(h)] The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet [37 CFR 3.28,3.31]. \$ 40.00 per property .....\$

**TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED:\$ 195.00**

- a)  The amount of \$ 195.00 to cover the above fees is being charged as per attached for PTO-2038.
- b)  Please charge my Deposit Account No. 11-1835 in the amount of \$ to cover the above fees.  
A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- c)  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 11-1835.

**NOTE:** Where an appropriate time limit under 36 CFR 1.494 or 1.495 has not been met, a petition to revive [37 CFR 1.137(a) or (b)] must be filed and granted to restore the application to pending status.

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